### COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

### BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE	APP	LICAT	ION OF	T&TA	COMM	UNICAT	CIONS	)			
OF S	THE	SOUTH	CENTR	AL ST	ATES,	INC.	FOR	)	CASE	NO.	91-069
ADJI	USTM	ENT O	F ALL	PRO W.	ATS R	ATES		)			

## ORDER

On March 28, 1991, the Commission accepted AT&T Communications of the South Central States, Inc.'s ("AT&T") application to adjust its All Pro WATS rates. On June 11, 1991, the Commission granted interim approval of AT&T's proposed All Pro WATS rates subject to further review. In that same Order, the Commission granted AT&T's requests for certain deviations from its filing requirements and requested additional information. On July 1, 1991, AT&T responded to the Commission's requested information.

This Order affirms the Commission's interim Order and grants approval of AT&T's proposed All Pro WATS rates.

# DISCUSSION

All Pro WATS is a long-distance service provided by AT&T for use primarily by business customers. AT&T's proposal is to increase and decrease certain All Pro WATS rates, the net effect being an expected reduction in annual revenue of approximately \$100,000. AT&T further proposed to restructure its All Pro WATS rates to eliminate mileage sensitivity and to introduce sub-minute timing and volume discounts. AT&T stated that the purpose of

adjusting its All Pro WATS rates was to make the service more competitively attractive to customers. AT&T estimated that an average customer of All Pro WATS would experience an 8 percent to 15 percent decrease in billing.

The Commission has reviewed the forecast and cost information provided in response to its data request and finds that AT&T's proposed All Pro WATS rates are priced above cost. Therefore, the Commission finds that AT&T's proposed All Pro WATS rates are reasonable and should be approved on a permanent basis.

# IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that:

- 1. The Commission's interim Order of June 11, 1991, granting AT&T authority to charge its All Pro WATS rates for service on and after the date of the Order, be and it hereby is affirmed.
- 2. Within 20 days of the date of this Order, AT&T shall file its tariff sheets setting out the rates approved herein.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 1st day of November, 1991.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Chairman

Vice Chairman

ATTEST:

Commissioner